ALLERTON HAD AN EASY RACE

Delmarch No Match for the Great Hawkeye Trotting Stallion.

NANCY HANKS SOLD TO A BOSTON MAN.

Buyer and Seller Refuse to Give the Figures-Nebraska City's Lively Meeting-Other Sporting News.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct 15.-Twenty-five thousand people witnessed the trotting races today. The majority were attracted by the Allerton-Delmarch match for \$5,000. The day was clear and the atmosphere sharp. The truck tiem and fast. The first race was the 2:22 pacing class. There were ten starters, but the real contestants were Paul, Fedora and Proctor. Paul won, Fedora second,

Proctor third. Best time 2:17. Next came the sensational contest between Allerton and Delmarch, and the betting, which the night before had been \$1,000 to \$650, broke even. An immense amount of money went into the gool boxes, and many were unable to get their bets on. The appearance of William and Allerton was greeted with joud cheers. Allerton appeared to be in good condition. Doble soon came on the track with Delmarch, and he was almost

vociferously greeted. Walker sent them away on even terms, Delmarch leading a half length at the quar-ter and a length at the half and a length and a half at the three-quarters. In the stretch Doble gave Delmarch the whip, but Allerton came under the wire winner by a length. Time: 2:1344.
In the second heat Allerton led off and at

the quarter was leading by half a length. In the stretch be increased his lead a length and won by two lengths. Time: 2:15, Before this heat the betting fell to 50 to 7 in favor of Allerton. The third heat was a repetition of the second, Allerton winning by a length. Time: 2:15%. Summary: Allerton 1 1 1 1

Time: 2:13/4, 2:15, 2:15%. The fourth race was the free-for-all. Rosalind Wilkes won, Charleston second, Homestake third. Best time: 2:16%. The third race was the Bonner stakes, two in three for 3-year-olds. Evangeline won, Lady Wilton second, Cieo third. Best time:

Monbars was sent to beat the 2-year-old race, record and the Lexington track record, and made 2:19%. Nancy Hanks was led out and exhibited to

the crowd, after which Starter Walker an-nounced that she had been sold by Colonel Boswell to J. Malcolm Forbes of Boston at give the figures, but tonight there is good reason to believe that the price was not less than \$40,000. Colonel Boswell said he concluded to sell her as he had eleven more of

NEBRASKA CITY'S MEET.

Exciting Times on the Otoe County Track Yesterday Afternoon.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Oct. 15 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The weather was favorable today and the race track was in fine condition. This, coupled with a large crowd of enthusiastic admirers of horse racing, made the day a big success at the Driving Park meeting. The half mile dash running race that was started vestorday was finished, Belle M defeating Vulcan by more than a length. Time: 52%. Free-for-all pace, for a \$200 purse, was easy or Billy McCrackin. Summary:

Trott ng race, 2:30 class, purse \$150. Sum-Eli. 1 2 2 4 Victory. 4 4 3 2 Bell Thorn 5 3 4 3 8 8 potted Sam 5 5 5 5 Time: 2:28, 2:32½, 2:35, 2:38

The pony race was won by Harry Sprangate of this city. The running race was not completed on account of darkness. Waldo won the first heat and Filmore the second; A great deal of money changed hands on this event. Many persons were outspoken in the assertion that the race had been fixed. but the judges did no more than to call the riders into the judges' stand and warn them that they must ride their respective horses

In the second heat of this race Red Light flew the track and sent young Fogarty, his rider, headlong over the fence. The boy, who had only a few minutes before been fined by the starter for using obscene lan-guage, picked himself up and mounting his animal firished the heat in order to protect third money. Tomorrow is the big day.

David City Races. DAVID CITY, Neb., Oct. 15.- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The futurity race was won by Edgar E., Waneta second, First

Water distanced, Best time: 3:12%. The second day of the Trotting Horse Breeders meeting was attendeded by another good crowd today. George M. Swigart is giving sarisfaction as starter. Kate Caffrey on the unfinished race of yesterday.

First race, 3-year-old pace, was won by Fred K, owned by Gould & Miller of Fullerton, May K, owned by Gould & Miller of Fullerton, May Queen second. Best time: 2:59. Second race, 2:30 trot, was won by the 3-year-old mare Alix, owned by Morris Jones, in straight heats, Brocade second. Hurly Burly third, Joe fourth. Best time: 2:324. Third race, stallion trot: Sabin's Counsellor won in straight heats. Montgomery second, Sprague Bright third, Charlemont fourth. Best time: 2:354.

A good programme is on for tomorrow and special trains will be run from York, Stroms-burg and Osceola, and with good weather a big crowd is expected.

Matince at Creston. CRESTON, Ia., Oct. 15, - [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- In the matinee races here today, rare amusement was furnished mostly by local horses.

Stallion race, Nitrogen, by Robert McGregor, won in straight heats. Best time: 255. 2-year-olds: Star Medium... Time: 3:15, 3:10%.

Time: 3:10. 3:10:21 3-year-olds: Onida Cossaek Lady McGregor Histoga Dick Time: 3:00, 2:50:4, 2:50:4. Granger Dandy II. Time: 2:44, 2:4314.

Lyons Races. LYONS, Neb., Oct. 15 .- | Special Telegram to Tue Bee, |- The first day's meeting here was a success. Results:

Trotting, 3:10 class, purse \$200. Four entries: Toothpick, Yellow Duke, Lord Caffrey and Lady Alma. Toothpick won, Yellow Duke second. Time: 3:0044.

Running, one-half mile and repeat, purse \$150, one heat run: Red Head first place, Little Joe second. tie Joe second.

Trotting 2:30 class, purse \$200, five entries: Captain Wimple, Prohibit, Mark P. Dr. Tilton, Lottle Williams... Mark P took first place each heat, Dr. Tilton second place. Time: \$1024.

Garfield Park Results. CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 15 .- Garfield park re-

sults: First race, six furlongs: Shiloh won, Jimmy second, Knox third. Time: 1:16.
Second race, six furlongs: Annie G won,
Remarkable second, Oakdale third. Time 1:155.
Third race, mile and one-sixteenth: Reveal won, Falerno second, Milpitas third. Time: 1:50%. Fourth race, mile and one-sexteenth: Chimes won. Eli second, Lorenzo third. Time

1:494.
Fifth race, six furiongs: Pilgrim won, Tom Stevens second, Tamarine third. Time: 1:154. Sixth race, one mile: Manette won, Calli second. Elizabeth third. Time: 1:154.

Close of the New York Season. RACE TRACK, MORRIS PARK, N. Y., Oct. 15. -The New York Jockey club concluded its fall meeting and the racing this afternoon in perfect autumn weather.

First race, six furlongs. Seven starters: Six George, 111 (4 to 1), won; Lizzie, 95 (10 to 1), second; Tormenter, 113 (8 to 1), third. Arab, the favorite at 8 to 5, was not heard of. Time: nd race, five furlongs. Sixteen starters:

1), second; Alcalde, 107 (8 to D. third. Time; 01. Third race, mile and one-fourth. Three arters: Kingmaker, 63 (4 to 1), wox, Judge errow, 110 (4 to 5), second, Reckon, 199 (5 to 2),

starters: Kingmager, 373 to 1, woz, Junge Morrow, 119 (t to 5, second, Reckon, 199 (5 to 2), third. Time: 2:1634.

Fourth race, White Plains handlend, value \$10,0 0, closed with 232 entries, three-fourths of a mile. Seventeen starters: They came down the stretch pretty well bunched. Then Hamilton made his effort on Datonet. 119 (19 to 1), and the latter drew away and won an exciting race by three parts of a length from Wah Jim, 107 (3s to 1), who beat Rex, 104 (0 to 1), a neck for the piace. Yorkville, the favorite, at 5 to 2 was not in the race after the first quarter. Time: 1:164. Mutuals paid \$3.50 straights. \$21,80 for place. Wah Jim paid \$4.45.

Fifth race, Pelham Bay handlead: elekty-four entries one mile and a quarter. Eight starters: Kirkover, 9; (10 to 1), won, Picknicker, 123 (0 to 1), second, a head hefore Donohue, 30 (0 to 1), second, a head before Donohue, 30 (0 to 1), second, a head before Donohue, 30 (0 to 1), two, lengths before Cynosure (4 to 1). Time: 1:13. Actor (5 to 5) won the second heat by half a length, Roquefort second, two lengths before Cynosure (4 to 1). Time: 1:18-5.

Philadelphia Trotting. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 15.—This was the third day of the Philadelphia Driving club's meeting, Summaries: First race, 2:29 trot. purse \$500, concluded:
Derevan first, Florence S second, Kitty Frasler
third. Best time: 2:254.
2:25 pace, purse \$600; Attractive first, Henry
H second, Tempest third. Best time: 2:164.
2:25 trot, purse \$500: Paragon first. Hugo H
second, Harry Cardinal third. Best time:
2:2524.

2:10 pace, purse \$500: Vitello first, Puritan second, Marondez third. Best time: 2:1814. 2:23 troit, purse \$400, unfinished: Lady Han-nis won. Stanley second, H B third. Best time: 2:25.

Mystic Park's Programme.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 15.-About 1,000 peo ple were at Mystic park foday and the track 2:28 class, purse \$500: Raiph D won, Albrasia second, Stubby 8 third. Best time: 2:264, 2:32 class, purse \$500, unfinished: Terragon won, Dinah second, Etta K third. Best time: 2:33; was in fairly good form. Summaries: 2:25 class, purse \$500, unfinshed: Rotinson D won, R D F second, Nutmount third. Best time: 2:284.

California Races. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 15,-This was the third day of the Pacific Coast Trotting Horse Breeders association meeting. First race, Stanford stakes for 3-year-olds, Vida Wilkes won, Anna Bell second, Best Screnn wa ked over the track of 4-year-olds, 2:30 class.

olds, 2:30 class.
Trottling, special, for a purse of \$80). Frank
W (to cart) won, Wanda (to cart) second, Una
Wilkes (in harness) third. Best time: 2:17)4. Orme Won the Middle Park. London, Oct. 15 .- The race at Newmarket today for the Middle Park plate for 2-year-

Orme, El Diable second, Gauntlet third. Ten Dwyer Bros.' innings. New York, Oct. 15,- The Owyer stables this season won \$175,000, the highest of any

olds, three-fourths of a mile, was won by

stable winnings. Tips for Taday. These horses are looked on with great

favor for the races named: GUTTENBERG. 1-Kingston, Civil Service. 2-Castaway II, Benedictine. 3-Airpiaint, Dashing Belle. 4-Raceland, Banquer. 5-Bradford, Little Fred.

6-Lithbert, Neptunus. GLOUCESTER. 1-Fitzroy, William Henry, 2-Judge Mitchell, Thad Rows, 3-Prince Charming, Annapolis, 4-Garrison, Bohemian,

SPARKS OF SPORT.

Leonard Washburn Killed. Lovers of baseball will read with deep re gret the telegraphed account of the wreck on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois road yesterday. One of the three reporters killed was Leonard Washburn, the well known Inter-Ocean sporting writer, whose delicious ac counts of the Chicago club's game delighted thousands during the past season. Wash-burn was one of the brightest of American word weavers, and while a thoroughly conscientious partisan of the Colts, he never lost sight of the fact that the other side was entitled to a hearing. He wrote the best base-ball stuff ever read.

Browns Lost Again. Sioux City, Ia., Oct. 15 .- [Special Telegram to THE BRE. |-The Corn Huskers again slaughtered the St. Louis Browns today. The latter were not in it. Red Ehret is the only pitcher the Corn Huskers have left for the six-game series with the Brown. Hart has gone to Chicago and Meakin has jumped to Kansas City, but Ehret was invincible today whenever he wanted to be. Score: Sioux City. 1 1 0 2 5 0 0 0 0 1 9 St. Louis. 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 4

Will Play in Chicago. CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 15 .- Lord Hawke and his party of English gentlemen cricket players arrived in this city today. Tomorrow and Saturday afternoons they will play crack eleven of the Chicago Cricket club.

SHE WENT HOME.

Short Story of a Country Girl's Theatrical Experience in Omaha. A rather tall, shapely young woman in baby blue fleshings, modest in demeanor and seemingly out of place amid her surroundings, has been the recipient of considerable attention from the habitues of the Farnam theater ever since the "London Gaiety Girls" began their engagement there. Last night ber place was vacant in the ranks of the chorus and inquiry at the box office revealed a rather romantic story.

Mr. Flynn, the manager of the company came into Omsha with his company last Friday and stopped at the Windsor hotel. Dur-ing the day one of the female members of the organization met a lady who expressed a desire to go on the stage. She said she had had some experience, having played a part with

the "Ole Olson" company.

She was introduced to Mr. Flynn, who wishing to strenthen the female ranks of his show for the Omaba engagement, at once engaged her, after asking the usual question in such cases, whether she had ever appeared in tights. The novice replied that she had not, but was quite willing to don the fleshings. And so the debut was made.

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Tuesnay a stranger appeared on the stage and after skirmishing around, found the stage carpenter on the paint bridge. He wanted to know if a young lady by the name of Alice Cix was with the show. The carpenter not having a rester of the company, and was wing the mambers, only by "Millie." and knowing the members only by "Millie, "Baby" and other diminutives could not give the required information. Wednesday two men appeared and began a systematic investigation, but with indifferent

uccess seemingly.

Last evening, however, the comedy took on a deeper tone and the curtain came down upon a scene which reaches melo-drama. As the young lady, who has been engaged to Mr. Flynn, came out of her room last evening to go to dinner she ran plump into the arms of a man. There was an involun-tary scream, then "My God, father is it you?" came from two pallid lips.

Yes, child, and I want you to go home with me," said he.
"But I don't want to go," replied the pretty chorus girl "But you must," and there was a look in the eyes of the speaker which brooked no

And the man and the girl went down to support ogether and afterwards left for their home, a vacancy in the "London Gaiety Girls" company being created. The hero of this short drama is a Mr. Cox of Biair, Neb., the erring one his daughter. Alice Cox, who was led to go on the stage by the "Ole Oleon" records the "Ole Olson" people.

Didn't Draw Well. Owing to the numerous political meetings

held in the various wards last evening, the national convention meeting in the court room in THE BEE building was not largely attended, and several of those present were anxious to get away to look after other mat-ters. As it was deemed advisable to have a large turnout an adjournment was taken until next Monday evening, when another meeting will be held at the same place. By that time the city conventions will have been held, and it is hoped to have a rousing meeting.

No gripping, no nausea, no pain when DeWitt's Little Early Risers are taken Small pill. Safe pill. Best pill.

VICTIM OF DRUNKEN WOMEN.

Vicious Fairbury Characters Have a Fight to the Death.

MAGGIE MURPHY'S SKULL CRUSHED.

William Spears and His Consort Arrested for Murder-Another Person Seriously Wounded-Other Nebraska News.

FAIRBURY, Neb., Oct. 15 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-William Spears and a co ctesan named Vine, seeper of a house of ill-fame in the northeastern part of the city, pald a visit while drunk at a late hour last night to a disorderly house kept by Maggie Murphy, allas Millie Evans. An altercation ensued in which Spears flourished a murderous-looking revolver and the Vine woman struck the Evans woman in the head with a stongshot, fracturing the skull and causing wound from which she has since died. Another courtesan was badly injured in the affray and is in a critical condition. is making an investigation at the present time and Spears and the Vinc woman were arrested and are held to answer the woman on a charge of murder and Spears as an accessory.

Several Horses Lost. BANCROFT, Neb., Oct. 15 .- | Special to THE BEE. |-This morning a barn a half mile west of this place, together with the contents, was burned. It was occupied by J. H. Loshe, a tenant, who lost four head of horses and two colts, which were covered by \$150 insurance n the Omaha Fire Insurance company. The barn, which belonged to Fred Canowski was not insured. The fire started from the

down by one of the horses. Crawford Farmers tteunion, CRAWFORD, Neb., Oct. 15.- Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The second day of the farmers reunion was a success. A large crowd assembled to listen to Dech and Edgerton. Edgerton spoke in the forenoon and Dech in the afternoon. The programme was interspersed with vocal and instrumental music. A large number of Chadron people were present. About 500 people attended Dech and Edgerton speak again tonight in Chadron.

Brainard Raided by Thieves. BRAINARD, Neb., Oct. 15 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-M. Murphy & Co.'s hardware store was broken into by burglars last evening and their entire stock of pocket knives and razors taken. Wright's blacksmith shop, Matasek's saloon and McElvain's grain of fice were all called upon. Two strangers, one wearing a black soft hat, are looked upon as the thieves, and officers are now looking for them.

After the Fugitive.

NEBRASKA CITY, Nob., Oct. 15 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE, |-The police here received a telegram tonight to look out for a man by the name of Charles Blake, who shot his wife at Weeping Water this afternoon, It is expected that Blake will attempt to cross the river at this point and Chief Wheeling has stationed his men so the fellow can not escape in case he arrives.

Nearly Lost His Life.

Chawford, Neb., Oct. 15.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-James Kirk, a brakeman on the B. & M., was seriously hurt today near Rutland. He was climbing down the side of a car when the train passed a cattle shute. He was knocked from the car and a hard fall is all the injury he sustained. He will recover.

Lost an Arm. BLAIR, Neb., Oct. 15 .- | Special to THE BEE. |-Tim Taylor, a young man about 21 years old, was thrown down between the platform and car trucks here this evening as the 5 o'clock passenger was pulling in, and when picked up his right arm was badly crushed. It was amputated half way be ween the elbow and the shoulder.

Nebraska's Advertising Train. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Oct. 15. - Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-Thousands of penple were at the B. & M. depot this afternoon to take a look at the Nebraska advertising train as it passed through on its way east. Everybody expressed themselves as delighted and considerably surprised at the splendid exhibition.

Work of a Corn Sheller. BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 15 .- Special Tele gram to THE BEE, 1-Miss Sarah Morris, hying with her uncle, J. J. Potts, eleven miles west of this city, had an arm broken last ovening by having it accidently caught in the

fly wheel of a corn sheller. Fire at Crawford. CRAWFORD, Neb., Oct. 15 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-This afternoon the barn on the premises occupied by A. J. Enbody was burned. A horse was consumed in th The fire is supposed to have been

ignited by boys. Death of an Aged Citizen. YORK, Neb., Oct. 15 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-Robert Wright, one of York's oldest and most esteemed citizens, died at 6:30 this evening after an illness of a few days. He was 76 years old. He was a Meth

odist minister. Gored by a Vicious Cow. BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 15 .- | Special Tele gram to Tue Bee.]-Mrs. Asdell, living a short distance north of this city, was at tacked by a victous cow last evening and badly injured by being gored about the

breast. Crawford's Stock Show. CRAWFORD, Neb., Oct. 15 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. | - Crawford people are ar ranging for a free-for-all stock show and speed exhibition. It will occur next week at the fair grounds.

Burglars at North Bend. NORTH BEND, Neb., Oct. 15 .- | Special Telegam to THE BEE. |-Burglars entered H. I Adams' hardware and Gillis & Kastle's gen eral merchandise stores last night and took muny goods.

NO DISTINCTION NECESSARY. Judge Cobb Decides a Nice Point in

the Australian Law. Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 15 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-At 3 o'clock this afternoon Chief Justice Cobb banded down his decision in the noted Crites-Harbaugh case, in which Harbaugh, the people's independen candidate for judge in the Fifteenth judicial district, attempts to restrain Crites from having the word "independent" on the ballot opposite his name. This settles a number of similiar contentions in other counties

The following is the chief justice's full decision in the case:

On this 12th day of October, A. D. 1891, at 9 o'clock a. m., at the chambers of said court, this cause coming on to a hearing upon the application of said candidate for an order to the county clerk of Dawes county. Nebraska, compelling said county clerk to place the name of said candidate upon the official ballot, for the general election to be held in said county and state, on the 3d day of November, A. D. 1891, as an independent and nonpartisan candidate for judge of the district court of the Fifteenth judicial district of said state, for the judicial term beginning on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1892, the said candidate appearing in person, and by C. M. Parker, esq., his attorney and the said objector appearing by William Leese, esq., his attorney, and the undersigned, chief justice, not being fully advised in the premises, takes time to consider thereof until the 18th day of October, inst., at 9 o'clock a. m. And now on the said isth day of October. 1891, the said chief justice being fully advised in the premises, upon consideration thereof doth find that the certificate of nomination of the said A. W. Crites, candidate for the office of judge of the district court is and for the Fifteenth judicial district of said state, field in the office of the county clerk of Dawes county, in said state, on the 6th day of October, 1891, is is due form of law and that said certificate contains only such information as is required to be given in certificates, provided cision in the case:

The following is the chief justice's full de

for in section 3 of Thapter 24, of the session laws of 1801; finds that the said candidate is the nominee for said office of sundry citizens of said district and is entitled to have his of said district and is entitled to have his name placed upon the official ballot as "independent and nominarisan" candidate. It is, therefore, now here ordered by the undersigned chief justice that the said county clerk do, without fail, cause the name of said candidate to be printed upon the official ballot for said election in the following manner, viz:

For judge of the district court, Fifteenth district—vote for two:

A. W.Crites of Chadron-Independent and NonPartisan.

AMASA COBB. Chief Justice Supreme Court of Nebraska.

Gage County Politics. BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 15 .- | Special to THE BEE. |-Judge Thomas Appleget was in the city yesterday and announced that he would be a petition candidate. It has since developed that he filed a numerously signed petitition with the county clerk. Said Judge Appleget: "I can but feel that I was unfairly treated by the republican judicial convention recently held in this city. I have nothing to say against the successful candi-dates, but I am satisfied that the convention was put up against me. I have canvassed the situation very thoroughly, and have en-couraging assurances that a formidable number of my friends will stay by me in the cam-Judge Scott was in the city yesterday can

vassing the situation and conferring with his republican friends hereabouts. With five candidates in the field the situation is at east interesting.
The city democratic committee met Tuesday evening and concluded to make no nom-inations for city officers, but to give a left-handed endorsement to the independent ticket already in the field.

Eller of Brair | ec ines. BLAIR, Neb., Oct. 15. - Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The democrats are short another candidate for district judge. W. H. Eller, who was selected by the democratic central committee to supply the place vacated by Langdon of Sarpy county, has sent breaking of a lantern, which was knocked his letter declining the nomination to the proper committee today Mr. Eller and family left for Greensboro, N. C., this morning where he goes to manage a Keeley institute, organized by Blair parties.

Dr. W. H. Palmer, the democratic candidate for coroner on the county ticket, also leaves for Dwight, Ill. From there he also goes to Greensboro. Mr. Eller accepts this situation on the grounds that a certainty is much better than an uncertainty.

Edgerton's Few Friends. ASHLAND, Neb., Oct. 15.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—Hon. William Mc-Keighan, who is stumping the state for Edgerton, was in the city today and addressed an audience of twenty-five or thirty persons at Betterson's hall. He received but little support or encouragement from the voters of this section. Although there was a goodly number of farmers in town, but few seemed disposed to go near the hall.

Another Democratic Vacancy. KEARNEY, Neb., Oct. 15 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-A. Fred Cole, secretary of the democratic organization of Buffalo county, was notified today by County Clerk R. M. Rankin that John E. Mellet of Ravenua, candidate on the democratic ticket for county judge, had withdrawn from the can-This leaves only two candidates in the field.

One Ticket Less.

STRACUSE, Neb., Oct. 15 .- Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The prohibition county convention was to have met at Unadilla oday. A few of the faithful appeared, but at the last moment word came from Nebraska City that they were a few days too late, consequently there will be no prohibition candidates in the field of Otoe county.

Didn't Like the Tune CLARKS, Neb., Oct. 15. - Special Totegram o THE BEE. |-Congressman Kem spoke at Central City today to a very slim crowd. only about 150 being present. As a prelude to his remarks the band played "Dixio," and lots of old soldiers left the hall.

THOUSANDS OF DEAD FISH.

Low Water in the Upper Mississippi Causes the Trouble. DUBUQUE, Ia., Oct. 15 .- There are thousands of dead fish along the shores of the Mississippi. The river fell lower than for wenty years, leaving a large number of fish n pools which gradually dried and the fish have since died. This state of affairs exists

for miles along the river. Iowa Presbyterians in Session. Boons, Ia., Oct. 15 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. | - The Presbyterian synod of Iowa, composed of delegates from the various presbyteries of the state, convened in the Pres byterian church here this evening. The delegates, lay and cierical, number 125. The present officers of this body are Rev. Edward Barrett, D.D., of Iowa City, moderator Rev. J. C. McClutock of Burlington, temporary cierk, and Elder J. W. Jones of Cedar tapids, permanent clerk. Dr. Barrett de-ivered a sermon this evening.

ali day. German Day at Lemars Lemans, Ia., Oct. 15 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-German day has been appropriately celebrated here today. The business streets and private residences have been finely decorated. The parade was very successful. A large audience gathered at the opera house this afternoon and listened to peeches in the German language. The day losed with a grand ball at Pew's hall to

The Ladies Home and Foreign Missionary

cleties of the synod have been in session

Creston Will Have Light. CRESTON, Ia., Oct. 15. - Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The Spurr electric light ordinance passed its third and final reading in a special meeting of the city council last night Construction on the new plant is well under way and will be finished in a few weeks.

Iowa Presbyterians in Session. BOONE, Ia., Oct. 15.-About 100 Presby terian ministers have arrived to be present at the sessions of the synod of lowa, which meets this evening. More are coming or every train. The Ludies' Synodical Missionary society met this morning.

lowa Ice Houses Burned. FORT DODGE, Ia., Oct. 15 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-Two monster ice houses at Ruthven were destroyed by fire today The total loss is estimated at \$20,000. The nouses were the property of the Ruthven Ice

company. Iowa Central Changes. MARSHALLTOWN, In., Oct. 15 .- Thomas H Barry, assistant general passenger agent of the Iowa Central railroad, has been promoted to the office of general passenger agent, to take effect at once.

Pozzoni's Complexion powder is universal ly known everywhere and esteemed as the only powder that will improve the complexion, eradicate can, freekies and all kin dis-

John Wasn't Playful. Mary Wolf, a domestic at the Eagle house, visited police court yesterday to file a complaint against John Shrader, a boarder at the same place, for slapping her face. She said that she playfully rubbed a scrubbing brush across his hand, but he didn't take it that way, and struck her once just for luck will be brought in and required to ex plain the want of playfuiness in his disposi

Constipation poisons the blood; DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure constipation. The cause removed, the disease is gone.

The Fire Record. BRUSSELS, Oct. 15 .- The largest candle factory in Belgium, at Haerma, has been totally burned. Loss, several million franca Madison, Wis., Oct. 15.—A dispatch from Viroquoa states that a fire, which broke ou there at uoon, destroyed the east half of Main street. The loss is \$50,000. Viroquoa is Secretary Rusk's old home.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers; best little pills for dyspepsia, sour stomach, bad breath.

OMAHA'S DEMOCRATIC RALLY.

Reception to the Frominent Party Men Visiting the City.

TARIFF AND OTHER ISSUES DISCUSSED.

Democratic Views from a Democratic Standpoint Delight a Democratic Audience-Colonel Bynum's Little Talk.

The Jacksonian and Samoset clubs turned out in force last night to attend the democratic meeting at Exposition hall in honor of the visiting delegation of staunch democrats from the east. At 7:30 o'clock the Jacksonians, with the Musical Union band at their head, and with lighted torches, marched to the rooms of the Samoset club in Boyd's theater. A line was formed and the Samosets fell into the procession, making a line of blazing torches held by at least 300 cuthusinsts. *The procession marched on Seventeenth to

Farnam and east to Twelfth street, then over to Douglas and north to the Exposition hall, where a large crowd was in attendance to listen to democratic doctrine as propounded by well known speakers.

Every seat in the large hall was taken and

after a selection by the band a procession of distinguished gentiemen headed by Governor Boyd marched upon the piatform.

Among the distinguished democrats who occupied seats on the stage were the following: Hon. J. E. Boyd, T. J. Mahoney, M. V. Gannon, Acting Mayor Lowry, Charles Ogden, Euclid Martin, Albert Ritchie, Joseph Garneau, Con Gallagher, Hon. W. J. Bryan and a number of the members of the Jacksonian and Samoset cubs. Jacksontan and Samoset crobs President Ogden of the Samoseta arose at the conclusion of the selection by the band and said:

It is with pleasure that I call upon one of the most distinguished citizens of this city. Nebraska and the United States to preside at this large meeting. No introduction is needed when I say that I refer to the only rightfully, truly elected governor of the state, Hon. James E. Boyd. [Prolonged cheers.] Colonel Bynum Introduced.

Gov. Boyd stepped to the front and In a few words acknowledged the compliment paid him and then introduced Hon. William D. Bynum as the speaker of the evening. Mr. Bynum was greeted with cheers, and when quiet had been restored the speaker began. He said:

began. He said:

It is with some degree of embarrassment that I appear before you this evening, because others who were to speak are unable to be here. Governor Black was called away from our party to the bedside of a near relative and Senator Falconer of West Virginia is affected with a severe cold, therefore the sole responsibility has fallen to my lot to speak to you in the discharge of my duty.

I believe that the times when people are not excited and not aroused by political enthusiasm is the best time to discuss political questions. This is called an off year and we have been on this tour for four weeks and are now homeward bound. The republican party came into power less than three years ago under very favorable conditions and prepared at once for business. It was a business congress and proceeded to business in a way which soon depleted the United States treasury of the surplus accumulated by democratic rue and thrift. It was not jong before a halt was called and the searchers and concresses. ury of the surplus accumulated by democratic ru e and thrift. It was not long before a halt was called and the senators and congressmen said it would not do to go home to their con-stituency with a deficiency in the treasury.

Extravagant Republicans.

The national bank reserve fund of \$55,000,000 was appropriated and placed in the general fund. Then our representatives settled down to business again, but before congress adjourned it was found necessary to cast up accounts and have a reckoning. Various reports were called for and submitted, but the secretary of the treasury's report showed the exact funnthe treasury's report showed the exact finan-cial condition, for the simple reason that his books ald not be doctored. Secretary Foster showed a transfer of \$5,000,000 from the sub-sidiary coin reserve and business was once more esumed. But again the treasury is

more' e-sumed. But again the treasury is empty. Before long the secretary will prob-ably be pawning the office furniture so as to make a showing in his next report. What did the republicans do with all this money? The answer is easy and the story can be to d in two words—new offices. More than \$100,000 is now paid out for salaries for new offices which have been established under the republican rule. offices which have been established under the republican rule.

An economical administration would have demanded a reduction of public offices instead of an increase. The republicans have created LEO new offices with the enormous salary roll of over \$100,000. Such a house of congress was well fitted to pass the force and McKinley bills.

He Talks on the Tanks.

He Talks on the Tariff. The republican party does not occupy the position now that it did in 189 and 1881. In 1884 the republicans declared in favor of a revision of the tariff. President Grant urgod non-congress the necessity for a revision and reduction of the duty on all raw materials.

To go back a little let me say that from 1846 to 1856 the republicans were so well satisfied with a low tariff that this question was not made an issue in the campaigns. In 1866 the average tariff was 19 per cent and the New ande an issuse in the campaigns. In is everage tariff was 19 per cent and the England states were so well satisfied that this point did not enter into politics at all. In 1861 whem Morrell stated to congress that the average taxation must be raised to 35 per cent he said that it was only temporary on ecount of the war. In 1880 and 1883 the question of a revision

and reduction was brought up, but the repub-licans admitted that they were not competent licans admitted that they were not competent to revise the tariff, and we know now that they were not and are not.

A republican congress appointed a packed commission to go over the country and investigate the matter of reduction. This commission visited manufacturers all over the United States, and notwithstanding that they were appointed by a republican congress, made a report recommending a reduction of 20 per cent. A bill was reported to that effect, but was never passed.

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If the people of this country knew how much they were taxed there would be a revolution inside of twenty-four hours.

What excuse is there for this high rate? How are you benefitted? The republicans say that wages are higher in this country, and in order to pay high wages this high rate of tax attoris necessary. taxation is necessary. Improve ! Machinery and the Tariff.

I say and firmly believe that American manufacturers have the cheapest labor of any in the world, because the American laborer, by the aid of the many labor saving machines, turns out more work, and consequently produces more for the money paid him, than foreign laborers. eign laborers.
With the aid of the improved machinery one man now does the work of seven and only receives pay for the work of one.
American labor today is the cheapest labor

n the world. Here the speaker illustrated his statements by speaking of the shoe manufacturers and of the machines used in the factories of the pig iron and steel rail trusts, and stated that American cutlery had driven home products

ut of the markets of Europe. Continuing

Mr. Bynum said:

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If we could reduce the cost of production of staple articles to a nominal sum everybody would be happier and everybody would live on an equal footing. By a division of labor articles are produced cheaper, and each one is able to help the other. This I think is the first step.

In the wool trade there are 137 different classes or grades and not one-baif of them are or can be produced in this country. American manufacturers must have foreign wools in order to make fine goods. Wool is a cents a pound lower today than before the passage of the McKlaley protection bill. Since the passing of that infamous bill and foreign wools should be suffered and rags been in this America is left out for the rags are brought over by the ship load to the New England factories. In San Francisco and the East I have found that many woolen mills have shut factories. In San Francisco and the East I have found that many woolen mills have shut down on account of the protective bill. I would like to have some republican name one redeeming feature about the bill.

Some one suggested free sugar and the speaker then proceeded to talk about that

Made it up on Wool. Sixty million doilars duty was taken off of sugar, but the government must have it back some way and they will make it up on wool and dress goods.

The republicans come forward and establish this law for the purpose of cutting off foreign trade, yet they pay out millions every year for river and harbor improvements, then build a wall about the mouth of the habor and shut out foreign ships. No argument is needs as yet to convince the people that something is wrong.

After a few more general remarks the speaker closed and was loudly cheered.

Congressman Bryan's Remarks. Governor Boyd then introduced Congressnan Bryan, who, after urging the democrats support the ticket from top to bottom,

I make no distinction of men because of their religious opinion, and I freely say that if any of the candidates on the democratic taket when elected shall allow religion to in-terfere in appointments to office or in the ex-ercise of their official duties they, whether

Protestant or Catholic, will not deserve your support again; and I beg you to apply the test to the individual and not to the church. He is not a friend of Christianity who drags pollicles into a church nor is he a friend of the state who desires that religion shall invade the domain of politics. Church and stite have their respective spheres, both of supremic importance, but in their union there is not strendth, nay, rather weakness for both. I hope that we who are present tonight will never live to see the day when church shall be arrayed against church, or one form of religion another in an effort to obtain centrel of the offices. It will be a sad day for the country which we all love when this shall occur.

Let our work then be for men and for measures. I am sure you will not expect me to add anything to what has been said ugon national issues. Thep have been so nilly discussed by our visitors, who stand so high in the councils of the democratic party, that it would be immodest as well as impossible for me either to elaborate or emphasize what has been said. As this is an Omaha meeting it may not, however, be out of place to call your attention to the fact that you are in the midst of a great campaign. Douglas county is democratic, so is Omaha, and there is no reason why you should not have officials in harmony with the pecopie.

With a few more words of encouragement the speaker closed and Governor Boyd announced the meeting adjourned.

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DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.

Delegates Chosen Yesterday to Attend

the Convention Tomorrow. The democratic primaries were held yes terday to select delegates to the city convention to be held at Germania hall tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. There was no contest except in the Fifth, Eighth and Seventh wards, and in these the caucus tickets were

uccessful. The result by wards was as fol-

Third ward—John O'Connell, A. McAndrew, B. Herbach, Julius Meyer, Henry Seidler, John Reeves and John P. Davis.
Fourth ward—Warren Switzler, D. Donovan, J. J. Philbin, Jack Knowles, Frank Morrissey, A. E. Coggeshall and Ed. Mullen.
Fifth Ward—Delezates: T. J. Conway, Charles Hunt, F. O'Rourke, E. C. Erflins, P. Conners, J. Cummins and J. McGorry, Alternates: M. Leary, Charles Fisher, W. O'Shauzhnessy, Lew Connolly, C. S. Whitney, M. Galvin and F. Garrity. lessy, Lew Connorty, C. S. Watthey, al. Out in the F. Garrity.

Sixth ward—Delegates: Charles McEckron, F. W. Tlerney, L. P. Johnson, T. T. O'Brien, F. Duncan, B. Sachsse and C. Klimnel, Alter-lates: J. Ruef, E. P. DeVreez, G. Kard, F. Lushinger, F. B. Brayton, J. Steele, F. G. Pat-

Fick,
Seventh ward-Joseph P. Megeath, P. W.
Birkhauser, Andrew Murphy, Jerry B. Kehoe,
James Schneiderwinde, John Beilek and H.

Eighth ward—U. V. Gallagher, J. H. Hun-gate, William Nighting de, James Connor, F. C. Riebe, Martin Hendrickson and Thomas Sulffeen Ninth ward—F. J. McShane, W. N. Babcock, Joseph Garnozu, Jr., Axel Meyer, Ed. Gerske, S. S. Van Buren and J. T. Hope.

Republican Primary candidates. The Fourth ward republicans met in Judge Anderson's office. C. J. Greene was elected chairman and Andrew Bevins secretary. On motion W. F. Bechel, W. J. Broatch, C. B. Denny, George S. Smith and B. H. Robison were named as a committee to select seven delegates and seven alternates for the city convention. Their report was laid upon the table when made and the caucus selected the following: Delegates - George S. Smith, John S. Wakefield, C. J. Greene, T. S. Creigh, Ed Haney, R. D. Duncan and B. H. Robison, Alternates—N. A. Kuhn, T. K. Sudberough, Ed Whitehern, P. L. Perrine, J. A. Van Alstyne, J. I. Blair and T. W. Blackburn. J. B. Evans was unanimously endorsed for comptroller, F. R. McConnell for the

The Third ward republicans held a caucus at 1120 Dodge street last night and nom-inated the following ticket to be voted on at the primaries today: Delegates—Sol Prince, A. D. White, Lee Hartley, Louis Faist, S. C. Green, J. C. Hubbard, Thamas Swobe. the primaries today: Delegates-Soi Pri Alternates—Charles A. Branch, Nat Brown, John Quinn, H. A. Eastman, C. R. Groves, Seth T. Cole, Charles Wohrer,

Board of Education, and W. F. Becnel for

The Fifth ward republicans nominated for delegates these: W. A. Sanders, E. M. Hulpe, F. Dow, F. J. Fackett, J. W. Croft, Joe Redmond and J. J. Janes In the Ninth ward the following ticket was put forward: Delegates—Charles Unitt, F. S. Blumer, E. P. Davis, M. E. Free, J. H. Chapman, W. A. Austin and Alvin Metzler. Alternates—C. D. Hutchinson, L. Blickinsdorfer, B. Higby, C. Nelson, Robert Livesey, W. F. Nash, E. T. Winter.

Hon. Chris Hartman has announced himself as a candidate before the democratic city convention for the office of treasurer. Mr. Charles S. Elgutter is a First ward republican candidate for the Board of Educa

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup reduces in-

flammation while children are teething. 25 NEWS OF TESTERDAY.

Domestie. California Bankers are holding a convention t San Francisco. The American Librarian's convention is in ession at San Francisco, Cal. Stensen De Alege, in a fit of jealousy, shot and killed his wife, at Scranton, Pa N. S. Good & Co. wholesale dry goods dealers of New Orleans, La., have made an as-

ignment. Colonei Joseph E. Palmer of Brooklyn, N. Y. has been elected national commander of the Union Veteran league.

The United States War department and the city of New Orleans. La., are in the midst of a row over the possession of a plat of ground in the center of that city. Rev. Dr. Robinson, president of the Sabbath Observance association of littsburg. Pa., has stated that no move would be made this week igainst the Sunday newspapers, as had been

A breeze of excitement was raised at the international conference of the Womans Christian association by a protest from Phila-delphia, ealling on them to pronounce against opening the World's fair on Sunday. Dr Seymour Bullock, a prominent repub-lican and ex-federal soldier of Mobile, Ala., was shot and killed by Thomas P. Brewer, an ex-confederate, who with Dr. Bullock had helped to organize the bine and the gray in Mobile.

whe secretary of state is informed that the toll tariffs of Mexico relating to wheat and wheat flour have been amended as follows:
Wheat flour or wheat grain laid for threshing, \$1.45 per 100 kilos; wheat flour in granule, \$1.10 per 100 litres; wheat, 90 cents per 10) kilos. J. F. Boyd, editor of the Panama Times-Star, has arrived in San Francisco. He does not think any serious trouble will occur between the Central American republics in the near future at any rate. He also expresses the belief that the Panama canal will be com-uleted soon.

The Chinese government has consented to pay the sums borrowed fraudulently or conracted for by an ex-member of the Chinese egation in Paris. The relations of the min sars of the powers with the Pekin Government have taken a turn which tends towards a more narmonious state of affairs.

The convention of the Brotherhand of the first hards.

The convention of the Brotherhool of Railway Trainmen, in session at Galesburg, re-elected S. E. Wilkinson, grand master; H. Morrissey, first grand master, and W. Sheahan, grand secretary and treasurer, by acclamation. S. C. Young of Fort Williams Ont., was elected grand trustee.

The medical convention now in session of the medical convention now in session of the constant of the following office for the ensuing year. Dr. Charles A. L. Recof Cincinnati, president; Dr. T. Hunt Stocke of Louisvile, first vice president; Dr. C. Bond, Richmond, Ind. second vice president Dr. E. S. McKee of cincinnati, secretary. F. J. Smith, who operates a Merzanthaler Linotype type-setting machine on the Toledo, O. Commercial beat the world's record for machine composition on Tuesday night setting 47.9.0 cms corrected matter in exactly eight hours. He took the regular run of copy for publication the next morning. His previous record was 45.000, made in Brooklyn.

How George W. Stone, now, and for almost ous record was 45,800, made in Brooklyn.

Hon George W. Stone, now, and for almost thirty-five years past, the chief justice of the supreme court of Aiabama, has called upon President Barrisan to urge upon the president the recommendation in his forthcoming message to congress the necessity for the enactment of a bankraptcy law. The president was very much impressed with the reasons given the president was president to the president to t

Foreign. There has been a succession of earthbunke shocks felt at Pantellrin, an island in tal Mediterranean which is wholly of volcanic formation. The inhabitants have become greatly alarmed and have fled from there dwellings.

weilings.

A dynamite bomb was found on another airroad bridge at Richenberg, in Bohemia oday in the near vicinity of the one recently disced, which jeopardized the emperor's life, the facts created indignation and alarm and he authorities have instituted a searching nyestivation. The peasants of Samaria, a province in the

The peasants of Samaria, a province in the custorn part of Russia, have dispatched an irgent address to the fezar in which they say: We are suffering from famine, the government does nothing to help us and our only look is in thee, our father and star. Do not et us die of starvation." DeWitt's Little Early Risers for the liver

LISTENED TO THE LAWYERS.

Lust Night's Meeting of the Council's Investigating Committee.

COUNCILMAN SPECHT WANTS TO FIGHT.

Light Progress Made in the Investigation-Two Depositions Read and a Couple of Witnesses Examined-Much Talk.

The council committee held another meetng last night for the purpose of going deeper nto the question of whether or not boodle had been used in connection with the awardng of the city hall furniture contract.

Unlike the former ones, last night's meetng was shorn of considerable interest and the lobby listened to the oratory of the lawyers.

Colonel Reemer's Deposition. The ball was started by the introduction of he deposition of Colonel Reemer, the agent of the A. H. Andrews Farniture company. He testified that during his sojourn in Omaha he was a competitor with the Ketcham Furniture company, and as such agent talked with the most of the members of the city ouncil. He did not talk a great deal with

any of them, more than to explain the quality and merits of his goods. In a conversation with Mr. Morearty, he (Morearty) at first seemed desirous of having the Andrews furniture in the city ball, but never by word or action intimated that

he wanted money or pay for his influence, Mr. Reemer swore that E. D. Weary had told him that the newspapeas were full of reports about Morearty and other councilmen, to which he replied that he would not buy Morearty's support. Weary thought that it would require considerable money, at least \$500, to buy Morearty's influence. To this Mr. Reemer replied that it Morearty wanted money it would be useless to pur-chase him, as it would be hard to find out how he would stood when weather. now he would stand when wanted. A short line after that Morearty became interested in other contractors and, while he said that he liked the Andrews ferniture, he had not made up his mind how he would vote. On cross-examination in his deposition the witness swore that he had not been on intimate terms with Councilman Specht. He had

met Specht, but had never thought of offer-ing him money for his support, as he had at ways considered Mr. Specht was honest and not a man who could be bribed. Value of Morearty's Vote.

The deposition of E. D. Weary, another agent of the Andrews company, was read.

He had talked with nearly all of the counalmen about furniture and had told Colonel Reemer that it would cost \$500 to secure Morearty's vote and influence. He had heard it rumored that other votes were for sale, but after consulting with Colonel Resmer they had decided that they would not spend

one dollar to bribe councilmen. In his deposition Mr. Weary testified that Colonel Reemer had told him that Morearty had his lines out for bait and that if his vote was secured it would have to be bought. He did not inform Morearly that there was no money for him. After that Morearty praised the furniture and said it ought to go into the city hall. He could not see how any one could vote against awarding the contract to Andrews. Witness told Morearty that it would look bad if he came out flat-footed in favor of the contract. He did this because he did not want Morearty for an exponent, preferring to have some person with more influence.

On cross-examination the witness testified that Morearty never made any actual de-mand for money, but it was understood that he wanted it for his infinence. After reading the depositions Mr. Whar-ton called Mr. Ballou. Mr. Ballou was in New York City and did not respond.

its side of the investigation.

Mr. Donovau, for the accused councilmen, aid that he had some affidavits that h would like to read, Mr. Wharton objected to the introduction of affidavits; such a course was irregular and never heard of in any court or before any investigating committee.

Prosecution Rests.

The prosecution stated that it had closed

Mr. Donovan said the introduction of the affidavits was simply to expedite matters. The witnesses could be secured, but it would take a great deal of time. Chairman Tuttle said that he could see no bjection to having the affidavits read. Mr. Chaffee said that he wanted to be fair. Mr. Specht had been compelled to go on with

pounded questions and cross-interrogations which had been sent to witnesses and questions. Mr. Osthoff said that the afficiavits should

his case in the regular way. He had pro-

Could Not Convict a Yellow Dog. Mr. Donovan said the committee was not should not be read before the committee.

twelve years and his reputation could be established by Omaha citizens. Rudolph Beirman was called as a witness and swore on behalf of the accused. He had known Chris Speet for eight or ton years. "What is his reputation for truth and

On cross-examination the witness swore that he was not on friendly terms with Specht. They simply spoke as they passed When pinned down and asked to name the men who had stated that Specht's reputation

he could not remember who they were. Lieutenant Russell and Party Safe. SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 15 .- Apprehension feit for the safety of Lieutenant It resell and party, sent out by the Smithsonian institute o survey Mount St. Elias, has been allayed by the receipt of a letter from Lieutenant Russell, dated September 23. The party was then at Yaktel. The revenue cutter Corwin touched at that point on September 1 and the party not being there fears were entertained party not being there leads of Mexico also for their safety. The steamer Mexico also recently brought advices from the party. It leads that the ascent of Mount St. Elias had been attempted, but unsuccessfully. The party reached a height of 14,000 feet, leaving ,000 feet yet to be surmounted.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The funeral of Tom Jackson, late head waiter at the Millard, took place this afternoon from Maul's undertaking rooms. Interment at Forest Lawn, A meeting of the Working Women's union was held last night at P'fteenth street and Capitol avenue. The attendance was not arge, but those present were very enthusiastic over the outlook for the success of the movement. The plans and prospects of the union and home were discussed at length and minor details of the scheme perfected.

A very smal pill, buts very good one. De Witt's Little Early Risors.

DEATHS.

Notices of five lines or less under this head, Afty outs; each additional line ten cents. HEAFEY-Willie, age 8 weeks, at 5 p. m. yes-terday at the residence, northwest corpor of n from rusidence. Interment in

Sixteenth and Alice, youngest son of Ed-ward and Julia Heatey. Funeral today at Mary's cometery.

oe read and if there was anything Mr. Wharton could secure "cross affidavits" on the part of Mr. Specht.

sitting as a judicial tribunal. The purpose was to see if there was sufficient evidence to justify bringing the matter before a grand jury or a court of justice. The evidence, so jury or a court of justice. The evidence, so far, he said, would not convict a yellow dog. Mr. Cooper thought that if the affidavits had anything to do with the council they Mr. Chaffee thought the committee had heard enough arguments. The committee was competent to judge whether or not it would receive the affidavits. If the affi-davits bore upon Mr. Specht's reputation while residing in some other locality some fifteen or twenty years ago they should not be read. Mr. Specht had resided in Omaha

veracity? asked Mr. Donovan.
"Not very good," was the repty. Beirman had worked for Specht seven or eight years and would not believe him under oath. Not on Friendly Terms with Specht.

for truth and veracity was bid, he knew there were lots of men who thought so, but